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Seven States Reported Cattle on Feed Feb. 1 9% Higher

Placements During January 20% Above
Last year, January Marketings Were
9% Higher, 19% Greater Than 1976



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Fort Worth, Texas, February 23, 1978

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THE PRESIDENT STOOPS TO A LITTLE LOBBYIN'...

There probably ain't no group of people around & about who have felt the raw edge of President Jimmy Carter's tongue as hard and as frequently as those folks we submit to as lobbyists. Just about everybody has lobbied a little now & then by contacting their elected representatives at the City Hall, Court House, State House or Washington and those who have not experienced this fundamental right have surely given it serious thought on occasion.

However, it is another case of whose kid has got the measles, whether it is condemned or condoned. In recent months folks like you and me who use the mails have had occasion to criticize the Postal Service one way or another as it has struggled to try and operate like a business and make the income and the Out Go balance and these efforts have resulted in less service and soaring prices of postage. Just about everybody has now come to the conclusion.

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MOVING? Please use form inside paper and give full information. Mailing list is run on Friday for following week.

Worley Beefmaster Sale Rescheduled For May 27

Alice, Texas—The Worley Beefmaster Sale at the South Texas Auction Barn at Alice has been rescheduled for May 27, 1978. The sale was originally set for March 4.

Farm Bureau Says Canal Treaties Are Threat to Farmers

Washington, Feb. 17—U.S. Senators were urged today to reject the Panama Canal treaties by the leader of the nation's largest general farm organization.

Allan Grant, president of the

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Livestock Slaughter, Meat Production

Washington, Feb. 17 (USDA)—Total meat production under federal inspection for the week ended 2-18-78 was estimated at 741 million pounds. This was 2% above a year ago, and 3% above a year ago.

Production (Million Lbs.)			
2-18-78	2-18-77	Change	
Beef	474.5	466.1	Up 1.8%
Pork	111.1	113.3	Dn 2.0%
Lamb	249.5	248.5	Up 0.4%
Total	835.1	827.9	Up 0.9%

Slaughter (Head)			
2-18-78	2-18-77	Change	
Cattle	788,000	751,000	Up 5.0%
Pigs	90,000	98,000	Dn 8.0%
Sheep	1,497,000	1,470,000	Up 2.0%
Total	1,045,000	1,259,000	Dn 17.0%

Average Weights			
2-18-78	2-18-77	Change	
Live	1040	804	1046
Dead	937	794	1088
Live	234	187	288
Dead	110	86	118

Slaughter By Class

2-18-78	2-18-77	Change	
Wt. End.	23.4	17.7	28.0
Live	24.2	1.9	28.8



Andrew Ankw, Richmond, Texas, one of North America's pioneer and most respected breeders of registered Charolais cattle, will be specially honored, Feb. 22, at the Houston Livestock Show. The \$10,000 Roll of Excellence Charolais show is being dedicated to him. A special presentation will be made during that show.

Set-Aside on Feed Grains Is Final; Storage Payment Up

The President on Feb. 8 made final a 10 per cent feed grain set-aside program for 1978 and increased the storage payment for the farmer-owned grain reserve program. His urged farmers to make maximum use of these two farm programs, the White House Press Secretary announced.

Approval of both program actions was recommended to the President by Agriculture Secretary Bob Bergland.

"Farmers have the tools at hand to raise grain prices," the President said. "By participating in the set-aside program, they help cut the oversupply that are currently holding down prices. By putting their grain in the reserve program, they will remove excess supplies from the market and help prices rise. I urge farmers to take full advantage of these opportunities to improve prices."

The President said that storage payments for grains held in the farmer-owned reserve program would be increased from 20 cents to 25 cents per bushel per year for the major grains.

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Clinics Announced on Artificial Insemination, Pregnancy Testing

College Station—A series of 25 clinics on artificial insemination (AI) and pregnancy testing will be offered during 1978 for all interested beef and dairy producers in Texas.

The clinics are being sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in cooperation with American Breeders Service, Central Ohio Breeding Association and Curless Breeding Service.

In addition to actual field training in AI and pregnancy testing, those participating in the clinics will also devote one-half of their time to intensive training in beef or dairy management points.

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National Feeder Pig Summary

National Feeder Pig and Feeder Lamb Summary week ending Feb. 17: Pig prices continued the price rise that began 5 weeks ago. Per head markets were steady to as much as 8.00 higher although weights under 50 lbs. in Illinois were 1.00 lower. Per hundred weight prices in the Southeast were steady to 6.00 higher, as much as 19.00 higher on weights under 40 lbs. in Alabama, however, Tennessee steady to 11.00 lower.

Iowa: Auctions: 10,200: Per Head:			
U.S. 1-2 20-30 lbs.	34.50-35.50	30-40 lbs.	43.00-45.00
40-50 lbs.	40.50-42.50	50-60 lbs.	51.00-54.00
60-70 lbs.	57.50-63.00	70-80 lbs.	60.00-65.00
80-90 lbs.	65.00-70.00	90-100 lbs.	70.00-75.00
100-110 lbs.	75.00-80.00	110-120 lbs.	80.00-85.00
120-130 lbs.	85.00-90.00	130-140 lbs.	90.00-95.00
140-150 lbs.	95.00-100.00	150-160 lbs.	100.00-105.00
160-170 lbs.	105.00-110.00	170-180 lbs.	110.00-115.00
180-190 lbs.	115.00-120.00	190-200 lbs.	120.00-125.00
200-210 lbs.	125.00-130.00	210-220 lbs.	130.00-135.00
220-230 lbs.	135.00-140.00	230-240 lbs.	140.00-145.00
240-250 lbs.	145.00-150.00	250-260 lbs.	150.00-155.00
260-270 lbs.	155.00-160.00	270-280 lbs.	160.00-165.00
280-290 lbs.	165.00-170.00	290-300 lbs.	170.00-175.00
300-310 lbs.	175.00-180.00	310-320 lbs.	180.00-185.00
320-330 lbs.	185.00-190.00	330-340 lbs.	190.00-195.00
340-350 lbs.	195.00-200.00	350-360 lbs.	200.00-205.00
360-370 lbs.	205.00-210.00	370-380 lbs.	210.00-215.00
380-390 lbs.	215.00-220.00	390-400 lbs.	220.00-225.00
400-410 lbs.	225.00-230.00	410-420 lbs.	230.00-235.00
420-430 lbs.	235.00-240.00	430-440 lbs.	240.00-245.00
440-450 lbs.	245.00-250.00	450-460 lbs.	250.00-255.00
460-470 lbs.	255.00-260.00	470-480 lbs.	260.00-265.00
480-490 lbs.	265.00-270.00	490-500 lbs.	270.00-275.00
500-510 lbs.	275.00-280.00	510-520 lbs.	280.00-285.00
520-530 lbs.	285.00-290.00	530-540 lbs.	290.00-295.00
540-550 lbs.	295.00-300.00	550-560 lbs.	300.00-305.00
560-570 lbs.	305.00-310.00	570-580 lbs.	310.00-315.00
580-590 lbs.	315.00-320.00	590-600 lbs.	320.00-325.00
600-610 lbs.	325.00-330.00	610-620 lbs.	330.00-335.00
620-630 lbs.	335.00-340.00	630-640 lbs.	340.00-345.00
640-650 lbs.	345.00-350.00	650-660 lbs.	350.00-355.00
660-670 lbs.	355.00-360.00	670-680 lbs.	360.00-365.00
680-690 lbs.	365.00-370.00	690-700 lbs.	370.00-375.00
700-710 lbs.	375.00-380.00	710-720 lbs.	380.00-385.00
720-730 lbs.	385.00-390.00	730-740 lbs.	390.00-395.00
740-750 lbs.	395.00-400.00	750-760 lbs.	400.00-405.00
760-770 lbs.	405.00-410.00	770-780 lbs.	410.00-415.00
780-790 lbs.	415.00-420.00	790-800 lbs.	420.00-425.00
800-810 lbs.	425.00-430.00	810-820 lbs.	430.00-435.00
820-830 lbs.	435.00-440.00	830-840 lbs.	440.00-445.00
840-850 lbs.	445.00-450.00	850-860 lbs.	450.00-455.00
860-870 lbs.	455.00-460.00	870-880 lbs.	460.00-465.00
880-890 lbs.	465.00-470.00	890-900 lbs.	470.00-475.00
900-910 lbs.	475.00-480.00	910-920 lbs.	480.00-485.00
920-930 lbs.	485.00-490.00	930-940 lbs.	490.00-495.00
940-950 lbs.	495.00-500.00	950-960 lbs.	500.00-505.00
960-970 lbs.	505.00-510.00	970-980 lbs.	510.00-515.00
980-990 lbs.	515.00-520.00	990-1000 lbs.	520.00-525.00

Washington, Feb. 14 (USDA)—Cattle and calves on feed February 1 for slaughter market in the seven states preparing monthly estimates totaled 8,614,000 head, 9% more than a year ago and 8% higher than February 1, 1976, according to the Crop Reporting Board.

Markings of fed cattle during January totaled 1,740,000, 9% above last year and 19% greater than 1976. Placements of cattle and calves on feed in the seven states during January totaled 1,639,000, 20% more than last year and 19% greater than January 1976.

Net placements of 1,427,000 are 18% more than last year and 11% greater than 1976.

Other disappearance totaled 212,000 compared with 107,000 in January 1977 and 90,000 in 1976. Pasture and range conditions in California were considerably improved by recent heavy rains.

There were 1,840,000 head of cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in Texas on February 1, according to the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service. The current estimate is 11% above a year ago but 1% below last month.

Texas cattle feeders placed 420,000 head into their lots during January. Placements are 34% above January 1977 and 20% above the previous month. There were 417,000 head of fat cat marketed during January, 19% above January 1977 and 28% above December marketings.

Arizona reported 398,000 cattle on feed, 10% above a year ago. Placements at 39,000 were 24% below last year. Marketings at 54,000 were up 20%.

California with 668,000 on feed stood 4% below a year ago. Placements at 90,000 were level with last year. Marketings at 152,000 were down 11%.

Colorado reported 980,000 on feed, 13% above last year. Placements at 175,000 head stood 2% higher than last year. Marketings at 195,000 were off 7%.

Iowa had 1,850,000 on feed which was up 11%. Placements at 252,000 were 20% above a year earlier. Marketings at 272,000 were up 15%.

Kansas with 1,350,000 on feed was 8% above last year. Placements at 280,000 were up 10%. Marketings at 285,000 were 3% higher.

Nebraska with 1,700,000 on feed showed a gain of 11%. Placements at 385,000 were 38% higher. Marketings at 365,000 were 18% higher.

Replacement Cattle Higher 11 Weeks In Succession

Kansas City, Feb. 17 (USDA)—National Feeder Cattle Summary: Approximately 338,000 this week; 282,000 last week; 198,500 last year. Feeder cattle and calf prices were steady to 3.00 higher, making this the 11th week of price upturns.

River Terminals: 32,000; Steers: 44.00-47.00; 500-600 lbs. 45.00-55.00; 600-700 lbs. 46.50-49.50; Choices 550-600 lbs. 48.00-52.00; 600-700 lbs. 47.00-50.00; 700-800 lbs. 44.50-47.50; Kansas City to 49.00; 800-900 lbs. 44.00-47.00; 900-1100 lbs. 43.50-46.50; Heifers: Choices and up 45.00-48.00; 500-600 lbs. 45.00-48.75; 600-700 lbs. 43.00-46.25; Choices 550-600 lbs. 42.00-45.00; 600-700 lbs. 42.00-45.00; 700-800 lbs. 41.50-43.50.

Dodge City: 8,800; Steers: Choices 300-500 lbs. 52.00-55.00; 600-800 lbs. 49.00-53.00; 800-1000 lbs. 49.00-51.75; 49.00-53.00; 600-700 lbs. 49.00-51.75; 700-800 lbs. 48.00-50.00; 800-900 lbs. 46.00-48.00; Heifers: Choices 300-500 lbs. 44.00-46.50; 500-700 lbs. 43.50-46.25.

Springfield, Mo.: 4,400; Steers: High choice and prime 350-500 lbs. 52.00-55.00; choice 300-500 lbs. 47.00-55.00; 600-800 lbs. 46.00-50.50; 800-1000 lbs. 44.00-48.00; 700-850 lbs. 43.00-47.00; Heifers: High choice and prime 350-500 lbs. 48.00-51.00; choice 300-500 lbs. 44.00-46.50; 500-700 lbs. 43.50-46.25.

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The people in agriculture are asking that the policies of the government be changed from a cheap food policy to a fair food policy," said Cunningham. "In curbing inflation, government policies have sacrificed the agricultural sector of the nation. Prices received by the farmer have been held down while at the same time the farmers' costs have risen at an alarming rate."

He added that, "It is sad that these people (farmers and farmers) have been pressed to the point that they

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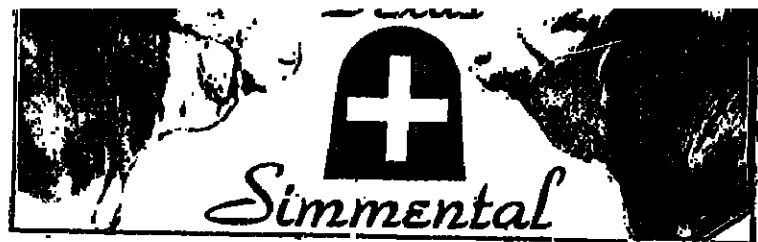


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ANGUS BULLS HAVE POUND and PROFIT POWER!

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McDaniel's White Oaks Farm, Terry Bradshaw Share Simmental Wins

Fort Worth — White Oaks Farm, Burleson, owned by Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McDaniel Jr., and their son, L. H. McDaniel III, showed their purebred Simmental female SBL Miss Gal 1044G to grand championship female honors for the second year in a row at the 1978 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth. The reserve champion female was shown by John's Green Acres, Cedar Lake, Ind.

Grand champion bull was Jerry Moore CBL H31 shown by Jerry Moore Inc., Canton, Ohio, and Terry Bradshaw, quarterback for the Pittsburgh Steelers and owner of the Circle 12 Ranch, Grand Cane, La. Reserve champion bull honors went to Alpine Abriote 276G, shown by Alpine Cattle Co., New Concord, Ohio.

Class winners were: CAF Mr. Complete, (reserve junior champion) Croed Anky Farms, Rhinebeck, N.Y.; and second, Dr. Roy L. Pepper, Cranbury, P.S. 907, (junior champion) Prestige Simmentals, Franklin, N.Y.; and second, CAF Crusader, (reserve junior champion) Prestige Simmentals, second POF Abriote 107H, George's Creek Ranch, Cleburne; first, 307260H, Payton Scott, Rising Star, and second, PS 6H Provider, (reserve junior champion) Prestige Simmentals, first, Jerry Moore second ASA 40244, Alexander Ranch, Trinidad; first RCF Sire Duke Signal SH, Ryan Crest Farms, Billings, N.Y.; and second, Cecil JKH1, Clayton Simmentals, Plymouth, Ill. Senior bulls: first, Alpine Abriote 276G (reserve grand champion), Alpine Cattle Co., Aurora, Dr. James E. Brown, Jackabara.

Owners of first and second place female class winners were: Class 1, Ben Land & Cattle Co., Terrell and Diamond J Ranches, Mineral Wells; and Billy Sharber, Kona, Okla. Class 2, Brown Simmentals, Breckers, Throckmorton; and Helen's Rich Sim-

mentals, Denver. Class 3: Creed Anky Farms; and Helen's Simmentals, Jonesville, Va. Class 4: Rainbow's End Ranch, Douglas, Ariz.; and Helen's Rich Simmentals. Class 5: Warnell-McClintock, Tyler; and Alpine Cattle Co. Class 6: Choice D. Thacker III, Celeste; and Clay Griffith, Hillsboro. Class 7: Junior champion, hoffer, CAF Miss Bananas, Creed Anky Farms; and Class 8: Reserve junior champion, hoffer, SMF Martha Raye 7J, Warnell-McClintock; Class 9: Stovall's Simmental Ranch, Hawkins; and Ken Duke, Kemp; Class 10: Prestige Simmentals; and Chester Martin's Kat Creek Ranch, Henderson, Class 11: Kat Creek Ranch, Henderson; Class 12: Bird In Hand, Va. Class 13: Alpine Cattle Co., and E. A. Brown Ranch, Throckmorton. Class 14: Creed Anky, and Rio Vista Farms, San Antonio. Class 15: John's Green Acres, and Prestige Simmentals. Class 16: Intermediate champion hoffer, Coloris, John's Green Acres. Class 17: Intermediate reserve champion hoffer, PS 6H, Prestige. Class 18: KO Cattle Co., Clinton, Inc., and Alpine. Class 19: Rio Vista Farms, and the L. H. McDaniel. Class 20: Terry and Pearl Johnson, New Concord, Ohio, and Helen's Rich Simmentals. Class 21: Senior calf champion, SBL Miss Gal 1044G, White Oaks Farm; and reserve senior champion, entry No. 226, KO Cattle Co.

Merrick Farms Sets Simmental Foundation Sale For March 4

Ardmore, Okla.—Merrick Farms has announced the Breeder's Foundation Simmental Sale to be held Saturday, March 4, 1978. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the ranch near Ardmore, Oklahoma.

The sale offering from the Merrick Farms French-based family of Simmental cattle will include 30 purebred herd bulls, ready for

Happy faces of Rob Pitzer, left, owner of Sycamore Creek Simmentals at Stephenville, and L. H. McDaniel Jr., owner of White Oaks Farms at Burleson, reflect their satisfaction with the way judging was going at the 1978 Simmental show at the Fort Worth Stock Show.

Part of McDaniel's happiness was that his heifer, Miss Gal 1044G, had just been named Grand Champion hoffer of the show.



Grand champion Simmental bull at the 1978 Fort Worth Fat Stock Show is Jerry Moore CBL H31, above. With the bull are, from left: Dr. Randall Grooms, Overton, show judge; Terry Bradshaw, Pittsburgh Steeler quarterback and owner of Circle 12 Ranch, Grand Cane, La.; and Jerry Moore of Canton, Ohio, owners of the bull, and unidentified showman at the halter.

service and 25 bred 3/4 blood heifers, calving in March and April. Also selling will be 25 open purebred heifers of breeding age and 50 open 3/4 blood heifers that will be ready to breed.

Credit terms will be available. For information contact Merrick Farms, P. O. Box 998, Ardmore, Oklahoma, 73401, Ward Merrick III 406/389-5537, office 406/228-1681, Sam Martin 406/888-5806.



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18.9x24	6 156.99
14.9x26	6 125.39
18.4x26	6 170.83
23.1x26	10 460.17
11.2x28	4 81.96
12.4x28	4 91.34
12.4x28	6 96.14
13.6x28	4 101.32
13.6x28	6 113.76
14.9x28	4 114.98
14.9x28	6 127.16
16.9x28	6 135.53
18.4x30	6 168.43
23.1x30	8 444.36
9.5x32	4 89.07
24.9x32	10 534.21
11.2x34	4 106.17
13.6x34	6 192.37
18.4x34	6 216.16
20.9x34	6 254.82
23.1x34	8 324.61
9.5x36	4 104.30
11.2x36	4 101.42
11.2x36	6 146.05
12.4x36	4 99.32
12.4x36	6 118.94
14.9x36	6 140.83
15.5x36	6 151.39
16.9x36	6 227.17
18.4x36	6 232.53
18.4x36	6 241.99
20.9x36	8 265.82
20.9x36	10 493.56

R-4 INDUSTRY

SIZE	PLY PRICE
4.25x20	1 79.16
9.00x24	12 44.88
13.00x24	12 229.47
14.00x24	12 296.48
14.9x24	6 150.26
14.9x24	6 153.39
16.9x24	6 175.76
18.4x28	10 218.36
18.4x28	10 178.50
18.9x28	12 354.50
18.9x28	8 192.05

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6.00x14	4 284
4.00x15	4 131
5.00x15	4 134
7.5x15	4 329
9.5x15	4 424
11x15	4 519
11x15	6 534
5.50x16	4 287
5.50x16	6 382
6.00x16	4 289
6.00x16	6 394
6.50x16	4 301
7.50x16	4 353
7.50x16	6 405
10.00x16	6 511
11.00x16	6 523
11.00x16	8 629
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Sycamore Creek Sale Of Simmental Females April 8 In Ft. Worth

Stephenville—Rob Pitzer's Sycamore Creek Ranch All Female Spring Simmental Festival sale will be held at the Fort Worth Stock Show grounds in barns 7 and 8 on April 8 in indoor, all weather facilities.

The 75 lots selling include two fancy, polled, purebred, halter broken females; polled cows and heifers bred to top polled bulls including polled heifers bred to SCR Best's Pride-Sunshine. Sycamore Creek's great herd sire; top horned cows bred to top polled bulls as well as great areas such as Beat, Achilles and Signal; a great purebred female with a purebred bull at side ready to wean, the last of a great herd of halfblood cows that have been culled over the years, that breed first service and raise a calf a year; and two bred Simmental cows due to calves purebred five-eighths Simmental, three-eighths Brahman Brahmental calves.

Kahler Green Oaks Inn, Fort Worth, phone 817/788-7311, will be sale headquarters, where a hospitality suite will be open at 7 p.m. April 7. Lunch will be served at the sale site at noon prior to the sale. Transportation from and to Dallas-Fort Worth Airport will be provided if prior arrangements are made by calling Sycamore Creek Ranch.

Merrill Anderson, Broadlands, Ill., and Joe Mitchell, Hubbard, will be the auctioneers.

For further information contact Robert A. Pitzer, Sycamore Creek Ranch, P. O. Box 98, Stephenville, Texas 76401, office 817/985-3203 or home 817/985-7442.



John B. Collier IV, left, general manager of the Collier Diamond C Ranch at Stephenville and chairman of the 1978 Simmental show at the Fort Worth Stock Show, and Dr. Randall Grooms, Overton, show judge, find a moment to chat during the show above.

Dr. Connell's "Rocky" 15/16 Simmental Bull Half-Interest \$22,000

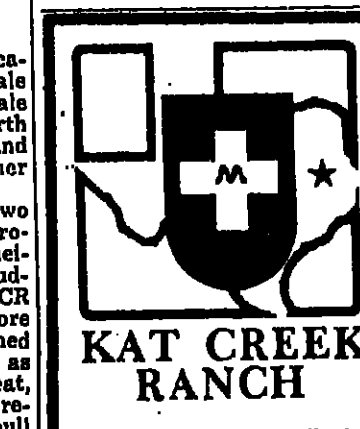
Decatur — Dr. Ralph M. Connell's Super Simmental Sale Feb. 8 at Myrt Victor's Flying V Ranch sale facility near here was topped by a bid of \$22,000 by Bond Simmentals, Boston, Ga., to own half interest in "Rocky", a polled 15/16ths Simmental bull.

In one of the stronger Simmental sales in recent times, Helen's Rich Simmentals, Denver, purchased the top selling female lot, a Galant cow bred to extra, Miss Rio Vista F06, for \$7,500. Dr. J. F. McNally's Sweetbrier Ranch at Corsicana, bought the second high female lot, "Tattannah", Champion, a fullblood cow with better half by Galant, for \$5,000 and the third high female, the fullblood Swiss cow TH Baronesse 8B, for \$4,000. Prince Ranch Simmentals, Dallas, bought the fourth high female lot for \$3,500.

Frank Dunn, Corsicana, paid \$4,000 for Lacombe Quadrille, a 1978 fullblood bull which had been Dr. Connell's top herd sire. Don Reynolds Land & Cattle Co., Pittsburg, Texas, bought a 100 percent Simmental bull, Alta Bar's Hercules, for \$3,200 and Mt. Brilliant Simmentals, Lexington, Ky., the fullblood R. G. Signal, for \$2,700.

Don Cole's Top of Texas Simmentals, Denton, bought a fullblood cow for \$2,200 and her bull calf was split off to Prince Ranch for \$1,100. Cole also paid \$1,500 for a polled seven-eighths yearling heifer.

High Plains Simmental Bull Sale Set, Mar. 9



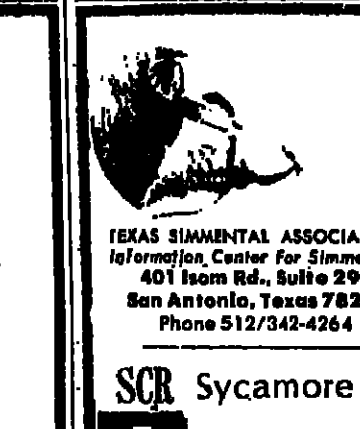
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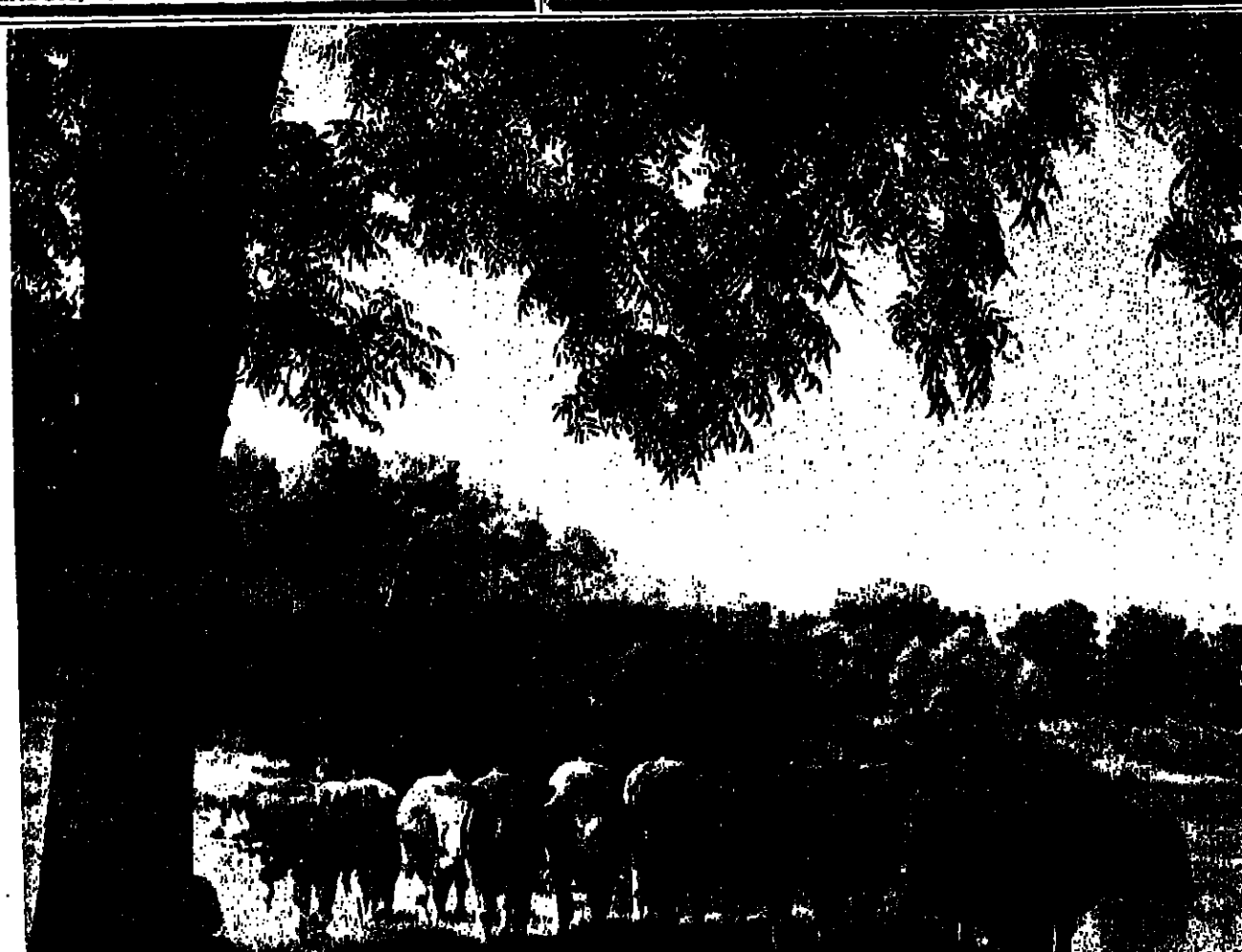


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The President also said that Secretary Bergland has under consideration other actions that could be taken to improve farm prices and income.
Sign-up for the 1978 set-aside program will begin March 1 and will be conducted through May 1 in the Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service county offices.

Central States Sets Beefmaster Sale At Tulsa On March 11

Tulsa, Okla. — The Central States Beefmaster Association's third annual consignment sale will be held Saturday, March 11, beginning at 1 p.m. in the Tulsa Cow Palace at 161st East Ave., north of Skelly By-pass.
Selling will be 25 bulls and 60 females, of quality Beefmasters, the profit breed.

Sale day phone will be 918/234-3488. This Beefmaster Breeders Universal approved sale is being managed and auctioneered by Bert & Ruben Reyes, 118 West Nakoma, San Antonio, Texas 78216, phone 512/689-2155, from whom information is available.

Clinics Announced

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out Dr. John Beverly, Extension animal reproduction specialist.
This training will deal with anatomy and physiology of reproduction principles and technique of AI, semen handling and thawing techniques, management application and technique of pregnancy testing, successful feeding and mineral programs for the breeding herd, genetic selection and record programs, programs for developing heifers, techniques in handling calving problems, and effective herd health programs.

The schedule of clinics is as follows:
Mar. 19-17, Sweetwater and Tyler; Mar. 20-24, Huntville and Gainesville; Apr. 10-14, Waco; May 8-12, Sulphur Springs and San Antonio; June 5-8, Decatur and Brenham; June 12-16, Nacogdoches; June 19-23, Sulphur Springs; July 10-14, Denton; July 17-21, Fort Worth; Aug. 14-18, Waco; Aug.

Sept. 25-29, Tyler; Oct. 18-20, San Angelo; Oct. 30-Nov. 3, Fort Worth and San Antonio; Nov. 6-10, Brenham; Nov. 13-17, Fort Worth; Nov. 27-Dec. 1, Edinburg; and Dec. 11-15, Mount Vernon.

Beverly advises all interested producers to contact their county extension agent for additional information on the upcoming AI and pregnancy clinics, particularly clinic location and the need for advance registration.

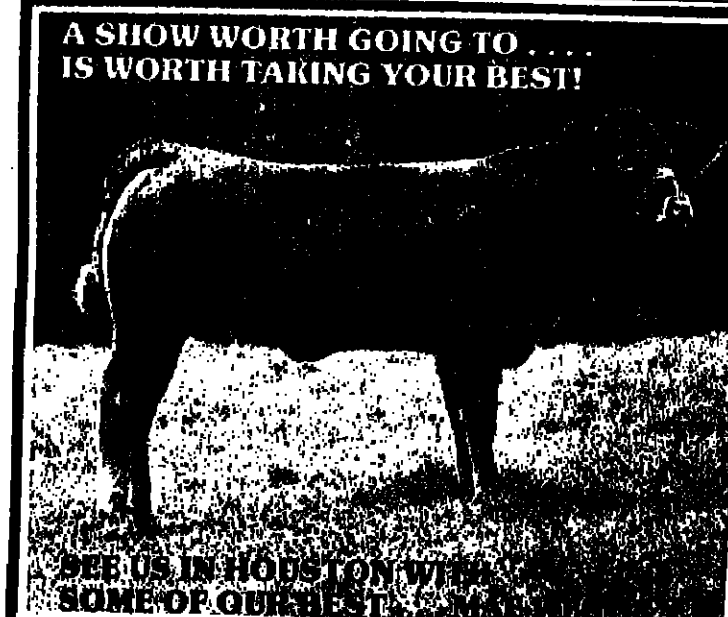
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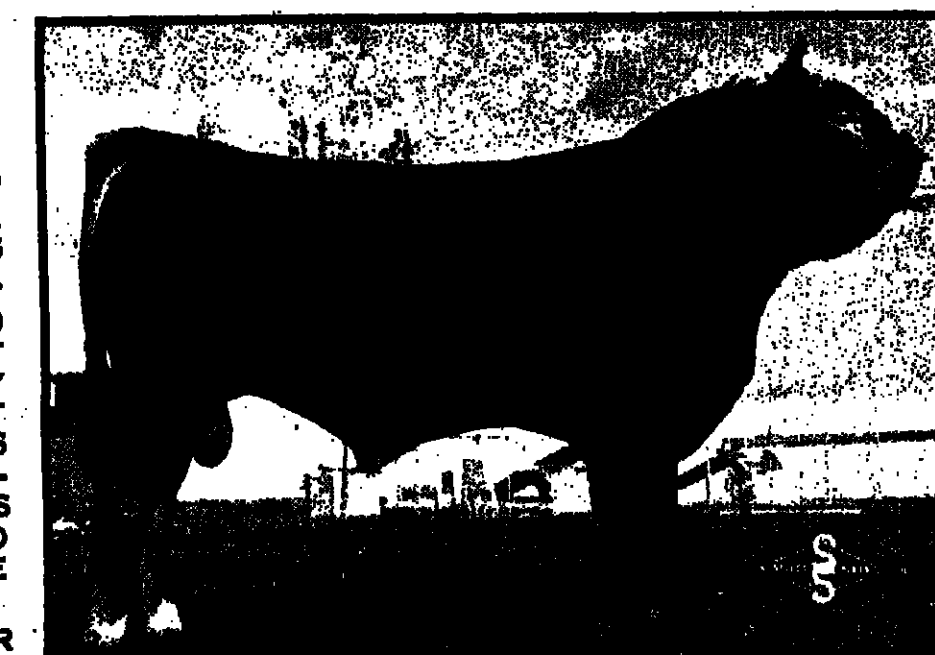
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Hart Farms Famous Shorthorn Herd Dispersion Mar. 20

Waxahachie — Hart Farms' famous Shorthorn herd will be completely dispersed in a sale that has been rescheduled for March 20. The dispersion was originally scheduled last Oct. 7, but postponed because of extremely dry weather in the area.

Larry A. Hart, Dallas, owner, E. M. (Buck) Bardwell, manager, and Jack Bardwell, herdsman, will have an offering of 160 lots. Everything will sell including the herd sire, foundation females, yearling bulls and heifers.

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An example of the type females selling is Princess Alva 6th, top selling female in the Graham dispersion. She's one of the best, if not the best, line of females in the Graham herd and is a proven producer.

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Their most recent major effort in the showing was at the 1977 Pan American Livestock Exposition at the Texas State Fair where Hart's Little Model was named reserve grand champion female. In that show they showed four class winning females and one class winning bull, Hart's Spring Light'n. They also had two female class seconds, one bull class second, and second in the best six head of bulls.

Hart's Hercules 2nd, shown by Fortie Polled Shorthorns, Madison, Mo., was judged reserve champion bull calf of the 1978 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth; and Hart's Hercules, shown by Sherri Brooks, Rockwall, was second in his class.

Further information on the sale offering is available from Larry Hart, 3725 Blackburn, Dallas, Texas 75218; phone 214/528-8700; Funk Bartwell, Manager, RFD 3, Waxahachie, Texas 76165, 214/440-2152 or the sale management, Cagwin Cattle Services, Inc., P. O. Box 186, Virginia, Illinois 62691, office 317/452-9882; Don Cagwin, 217/452-7620 or Darryl Rahn 217/452-8937.

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SHORTHORN NEWS

Arkansas State Shorthorn Sale Set March 4

Little Rock, Ark. — The Arkansas State Shorthorn - Polled Shorthorn Sale will be held Saturday, March 4, 1978. Show time is 9:00 a.m. with the sale following at 12:30 p.m. at the Arkansas State Fairgrounds at Little Rock.

Selling will be 65 lots including 20 big rugged bulls, ready for service and 30 bred females including some pairs and 3-in-1 packages. Also selling will be 16 junior heifers.

For information and catalogs contact the sale management, Cagwin Cattle Services, Inc., P. O. Box 186, Virginia, Ill. 62691, 217/452-9882; Don Cagwin, 217/452-7620 or Darryl Rahn, 217/452-8937.

Shorthorns Average \$1402 In Denver

Denver — In the Top of the Crop Shorthorn sale at the National Western Livestock Show here the 38 lots grossed \$46,280 for an average of \$1,402. The 17 and 1/2 bulls sold for \$81,280 to average \$1,770 and 16 female lots for \$15,020 to average \$1,001. The sale was managed by American Cattle Services, Inc., Chatsanooga, Okla., with Bruce Brooks, Ardmore, Okla., as auctioneer. Don Cagwin of Cagwin Cattle Services, Virginia, Ill., was sale consultant. J. Pat Buchen, Kansas City, judged the sale show.

Top selling bull was Oak Hill Big Spender 7th, consigned by Torgerson Bros., Austin, Minn., for \$8,000 to Richard Doligow's Lady D Ranch, Exton, Pa. Consignees were Mac and Jack Brooks, Diamond B Ranch, Rockwall, Texas. Torgerson Bros. retained one-third interest in the bull, which was named bull calf champion in the next day's open show. Second high selling bull at \$3,800 was consigned by Merl Welch's Green Ridge Shorthorns, Elkhart, Ill., and sold to the Jerry Taylor Family and Gary & Pam Naylor of Prairie City, Ill. Third high selling bull was another Green Ridge consignment purchased by Hub's Shorthorns owned by Virgil Wegener, Norton, Kan.

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MONTH	DATE	EVENT
FEBRUARY	22-23	1st International Charbray Sale, 10 A.M., Astrodome, Houston, Texas, Spons. Gulf Coast Charolais Assn.
FEBRUARY	22-23	Top of Texas Female Angus Sale, Astrodome, Houston, Texas, Spons. Gulf Coast Charolais Assn.
FEBRUARY	22-23	Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo, Houston, Texas
FEBRUARY	22-23	Texas Charolais Assn. Sale, Houston, Texas
FEBRUARY	22-23	Houston Stock Show Brahman Sale, Houston, Texas
FEBRUARY	22-23	7th Annual Gulf Coast Char-Trek Grand Ballroom Sale, Mar-roil, Houston, Texas, No. American Auction Co.
FEBRUARY	22-23	Houston International Brangus Sale, 8 P.M., Super Sale Salon, Houston, Texas, Feed Mills Foreclosure Sale, Bowie, Gaston/Gaston S/mgr.
FEBRUARY	22-23	Sylar Sales Mgmt.
MARCH	4	HIGH PLAINS BRANGUS BULL SALE SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 1978 — 1:00 P.M. NEWKIRK LIVESTOCK CO. — NEWKIRK, OKLAHOMA 70 BRANGUS BULLS RIGID WEIGHT REQUIREMENTS — BANGS, TB AND FERTILITY TESTED. FOR INFORMATION CONTACT: SYLAR SALES MANAGEMENT, INC. ROUTE 2, BOX 38, BURTON, TEXAS 75816 PH. 713/288-4400 BULLY POLLED
MARCH	23-24	Annual SGBI Meeting, Astroworld Hotel, Houston
MARCH	24	Fabulous Forty Simmental Sale, Houston, Texas
MARCH	24	Texas Charolais Breeders Assn. Sale of Sales, 7:30 P.M., Sikshow, Houston, Texas
MARCH	24	Beefmaster Futurity Show & Sale, Auction Sale Ring, Houston, Texas, Reyes Reyes & Elder
MARCH	24	Flying W Ranch Reg. Polled Hereford Comm. Bull Sale, Kimball, Neb.
MARCH	25	South Texas Hereford Assn. Spring Bull & Female Sale, Beeville, Texas
MARCH	25	Texas Limousin Assn. Sale, Houston, Texas, American Cattle Serv., Inc.
MARCH	25	Kenmore Farms Annual Prod. Sale, Elmdale, Kans., Phil Luongchit
MARCH	25	Mid-Coast Santa Gertrudis Assn. Super Sale, 10 A.M., Houston, Texas, Superior Sales
MARCH	25	Polled Santa Gertrudis Assn. Sale, 2 P.M., Houston, Texas, Superior Sales
MARCH	25	W. B. Harris Farms Brangus Prod. Sale, Columbus, Tex.
MARCH	25	Texas Traditional Maine-Anjou Sale, Spons. TMAA, 4 P.M., Super Sale Salon, Houston, Texas
MARCH	25	Farm Equipment Sale, Waskom, Texas, Double D. Auction Serv., S. Mgr.
MARCH	25	American Indol. Marchigiana Society Annual Meeting 9:30 A.M., Houston
MARCH	27	Texas Polled Hereford Assn. Sire Evaluation Bull Sale, Brownwood, Texas
MARCH	28	Born Herefords Sale, Follett, Tex.
MARCH	3	Ark. Farm Complete Dispersal, Wheaton, MO, Killian & Buxton, s/mgr.
MARCH	4	Quirk Land & Cattle Co. Angus, Simmental, Brangus, Chianina Bull Sale, Hastings, Neb.
MARCH	4	Sell Herefords Sale, Booker, Tex.
MARCH	4	Merrick Farms Simmental Purebred Bulls, Bred & Open Females Sale, Ardmore, Okla.
MARCH	12	FIRST PRODUCTION SALE SUNDAY, MARCH 12 NEW SUMMERFIELD, TEXAS SELLING 110 HEAD OF OUR FINEST BRANGUS CATTLE 28 ONE AND TWO YEAR OLD BULLS 18 ONE AND TWO YEAR OLD COWS 80 BRED OR OPEN HEIFERS FEATURING PFR OB-CARS IMPROVER 100/3 AND MR. BAR G BAR 100/6, SON OF THE IMPROVER
MARCH	12	Clyde Johnson & Sons Hereford Bull & Female Sale, Sulverdale, Tex., Reyes Reyes & Elder
MARCH	12	High Plains Brangus Bull Sale sponsored by Indian Nations Brangus Breeders, Newkirk, OK, Sylar Sales Mgmt.
MARCH	12	Arkansas State Shorthorn Sale, Little Rock, Ark.
MARCH	12	Indian Nation Bull Sale, Newkirk, OK, Sylar Sales Mgmt.
MARCH	12	Special Reg. Bred Hereford Bull Sale, Gonzales Commission Co., Gonzales
MARCH	12	Brownwood Cattle Auction Special Stocker Cow Sale, Brownwood
MARCH	12	Karlen Family Ranch Cow Sale, Huron, S.D., Amer. Cattle Serv.
MARCH	12	High Plains Simmental Bull Sale, Pantex, Sylar Sales

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3-18—Brazos Valley Star Equipment Auction, Bryan, S/mgr. Britten/Britten

3-19—Live Oak Co. Beefmaster Breeders Sale, Three Rivers, Tex., Reyes Reyes & Elder

3-19—Griffin-Truitt "Spring-Time Limousin Sale," Van Alstyne, ACS

3-20/21—American Breeders Service AI & Palpation School, Houston Area

3-20/21—American Breeders Service AI & Palpation School, Tyler, Tex.

3-20—(7 P.M.) Sooner Select Club Calf Sale, Oklahoma City, Okla., American Cattle Services

3-20—Hart Shorthorn Farms Dispersion, Waxahachie, Cagwin Cattle Serv.

3-20—SGBI Judging Conference, Mercedes

3-20—Glenn Kirk Farms Auction Bull Sale, Mayaville, Mo.

3-24—Quirk Land & Cattle Co. Angus Prod. Sale, Hastings, Neb.

3-25—Harrell Cattle Co. Beefmaster Prod. Sale, Gonzales, Tex.

3-25—Brushy Creek Ranch Limousin Prod. Sale, Waxahachie, TX, American Cattle Services

3-25—T. C. Morrow Ranch Spring Cattle Sale, Cotulla, Tex.

3-25—Mid-South Santa Gertrudis Assoc. Sale, Cross Plains, Tenn.

3-25—Reynolds Farm Equip. Sale, Pittsburg, S/mgr. — Double D Auction Serv.

3-25—Five State Shorthorn Assn. Sale, Guymon, OK

3-25/26—Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Assn. Annual Convention and Trade Show, San Antonio, Texas

3-26—Fries's Thalia Farm Red Angus Prod. Sale, Sparta, TN, Gayle Ingram

3-30—2nd Semi-Annual OK Beef Improvement Assn. Chardials Perf. Tested Bull Sale, Stillwater, OK, Jerry Richardson

3-30—Greater West Texas Angus Assn. Bull Sale, West Texas State Univ., Canyon

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The sale will be held during the Houston Livestock Show and will attend the Houston International Brangus Show at 8 a.m., Thursday, Feb. 23; the Bluebonnet Brangus Sale at the Houston show at 6 p.m. that day; and the International Brangus Breeders Association's committee meetings at 9 a.m., Friday, Feb. 24, prior to inspecting his sale cattle from noon to 6:30 p.m. at the Harris Farms. He and attending his pre-sale party at 6:30 p.m. Feb. 24. The Harris Farms cat fish fry will begin at 11 a.m., Saturday, Feb. 25, and the sale at 1 p.m.

Texas Art Gallery, Dallas, will be a guest chairman to the sale. For further information contact Harris Farms, W. B. "Tiny" and Ann Harris, owners, Route 1, Box 140-A, Columbus, Texas 76824; phone 713/732-5151 office, or 713/782-3826 at home.

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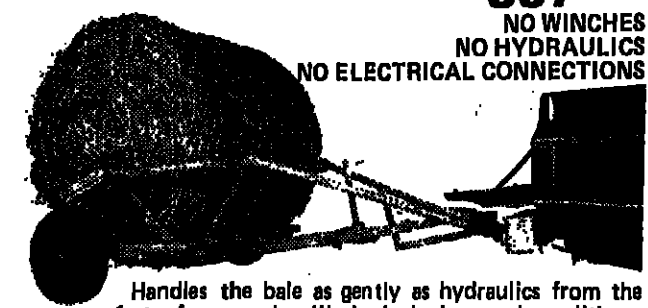
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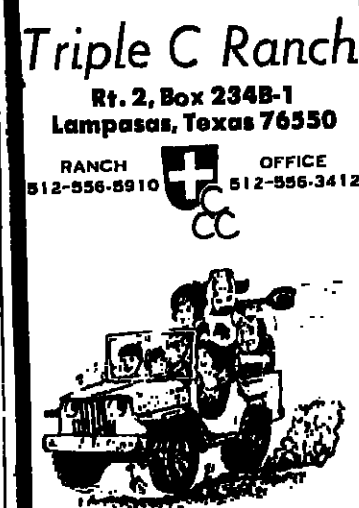
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